Wisconsin Medical Society (formerly State Medical Society of Wisconsin)

Total Lobbying Effort

Total Lobbying Expenditures

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
\$105,410.67	\$158,215.33	\$139,351.73	\$68,300.70	\$471,278.43

Total Hours Communicating

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
382.10	418.50	338.50	152.75	1291.85

Total Hours Other

	2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
	1101.65	932.50	1068.70	426.25	3529.10

Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

Assembly Bill 259

relating to: provider organizations subject to health care liability requirements.

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
89.00 (6%)				89.00 (2%)

Assembly Bill 618

relating to: child safety restraint systems, safety belt use requirements in motor vehicles, and providing a penalty.

2005	2005	2006	2006	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	54.00 (4%)			54.00 (1%)

Assembly Bill 766

relating to: recovery of noneconomic damages in medical malpractice cases.

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
	405.00 (30%)			405.00 (8%)

Assembly Bill 77

relating to: creating a revenue limit for the state and local governmental units, depositing excess revenue into an emergency reserve, returning excess revenue to taxpayers, elector approval for exceeding the revenue limit, state and local governmental approval for reducing the revenue limit, allowing local governmental units to raise revenue to compensate for reductions in state aid, requiring the state to reduce its revenue limit in conjunction with reduction in state aid, reimbursing the reasonable costs of imposing state mandates, standing to bring a suit to enforce the revenue limits, and requiring the approval of only one legislature to amend the revenue limit provisions (first consideration).

2005	2005	2006	2006	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		169.00 (12%)		169.00 (4%)

Assembly Bill 1073

relating to: recovery of noneconomic damages in medical malpractice cases.

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
		872.00 (62%)		872.00 (18%)

Assembly Bill 1140

relating to: creating the Private Health Insurance Purchasing Corporation of Wisconsin, establishing a health insurance purchasing arrangement through the use of private accounts for all state residents, adopting federal law as it relates to health savings accounts for state income and franchise tax purposes, making appropriations, and providing a penalty.

2005	2005	2006	2006	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
			81.00 (14%)	81.00 (2%)

Lobbying Effort On Budget Bill Subjects

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
134.00 (9%)				134.00 (3%)

Health and Famil	y Services:	Medical	Assistance
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2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
119.00 (8%)				119.00 (2%)

Insurance

2005	2005	2006	2006	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
475.00 (32%)				475.00 (10%)

Lobbying Effort On Administrtive Rulemaking Proceedings

Barbering and Cosmetology Examining Board

provision of chemical peel and microdermabrasion services by board licensees.

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
			139.00 (24%)	139.00 (3%)

Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

Tobacco Excise Tax

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
178.05 (12%)			57.90 (10%)	235.95 (5%)

Data Collection

2005	2005	2006	2006	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	67.55 (5%)			67.55 (1%)

Medical Assistance

2005 January - June	2005 July - December	2006 January - June	2006 July - December	Total
	67.55 (5%)		86.85 (15%)	154.40 (3%)

Restoring a reasonable cap on noneconomic damages in medical liability cases, to prevent the nationwide health care access crisis from reaching Wisconsin.

2005	2005	2006	2006	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	432.32 (32%)			432.32 (9%)

Minor Efforts

(Time spent on matters each of which accounted for less than 10% of the organization's lobbying)

2005	2005	2006	2006	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
490 (33%)	324 (24%)	366 (26%)	214 (37%)	1393.98 (28.92%)